## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re application of  |                                       |
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| GERARD BENARD, ERIC DUPREY,<br>PATRICK MOUREAUX, and<br>JOHANNES A. R. VAN VEEN | )<br>)<br>)<br>Confirmation No.: 6950 |
| Serial No. 10/537,977   | Group Art Unit: 1797                  |
| Filed June 9, 2005  | )<br>Examiner: Taiwo Oladapo          |
| PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF A LUBRICANT                                      | )<br>) June 3, 2009<br>)              |
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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 5, 2009, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-25. The rejection of each of these claims is herewith appealed.

Please charge the fee of \$540 to Shell Oil Company Deposit Account No. 19-1800.

Respectfully submitted,

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